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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA
Statement of Legal Newspaper Ownership and Circulation

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1. TITLE OF NEWSPAPER: The Platte Enterprise		2. DATE 9-29-05
3. FREQUENCY OF ISSUE: Weekly	3A. NO. OF ISSUES PUBLISHED ANNUALLY: 52	3B. ANNUAL SUBSCRIPTION PRICE $26.50, $31.80, $36.00
4. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF KNOWN OFFICE OF PUBLICATION (Street, City, County, State and ZIP+4 Code) (Not printers): P.O. Box 546, Platte, SD 57369-0546		
5. COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS OF THE HEADQUARTERS OR GENERAL BUSINESS OFFICES OF THE PUBLISHER (Not printers): P.O. Box 546, Platte, SD 57369-0546		
6. FULL NAME OF PUBLISHER: Sharon Swinger		

7. OWNER (If owned by a corporation, its name and address must be stated and list on the back of this form the names and addresses of stockholders owning or holding 1 percent or more of total amount of stock. If not owned by a corporation, the names and addresses of the individual owners must be given. If owned by a partnership or other unincorporated firm, its name and address, as well as that of each individual must be given.

FULL NAME	COMPLETE MAILING ADDRESS
Norman and Sharon Swinger	Box 546, Platte SD 57369-0546

8. KNOWN BONDHOLDERS, MORTGAGES, AND OTHER SECURITY HOLDERS OWNING OR HOLDING 1 PERCENT OR MORE OF TOTAL AMOUNT OF BONDS, MORTGAGES OR OTHER SECURITIES (If there are none, so state. If more space is needed, list on back of this form.

Ralph and Patricia Nachtigal, 36728 275th Ave, Platte SD 57369

9. EXTENT AND NATURE OF CIRCULATION	AVERAGE NO. COPIES EACH ISSUED PRECEDING 12 MONTHS	ACTUAL NO. COPIES ISSUED NEAREST TO FILING DATE
A. TOTAL NO. COPIES (Net Press Run)	1,975	1,975
B. PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION 1. Sales through dealers and carriers, street vendors and counter sales.	180	180
2. Mail Subscription (Paid and or requested)	1,723	1,728
C. TOTAL PAID AND/OR REQUESTED CIRCULATION (Sum of 9B1 and 9B2)	1,903	1,908
D. FREE DISTRIBUTION 1. BY MAIL, CARRIER OR OTHER MEANS	22	22
2. SAMPLES, COMPLIMENTARY AND OTHER FREE COPIES	0	0
E. TOTAL DISTRIBUTION (Sum of C, D1 and D2)	1,925	1930
F. COPIES NOT DISTRIBUTED 1. Office use, left over, unaccounted, spoiled after printing	50	45
2. Return from News Agents	0	0
G. TOTAL (Sum of E, F1 and F2 – Should equal net press run shown in A)	1,975	1,975

Statement must be signed by Publisher, Business Manager, or Owner in the presence of a Notary Public

I swear that the statements made by me are true, correct, and complete:

Sharon Swinger (Signature) — Owner, Publisher (Title)

State of South Dakota)
County of Charles Mix) §

Sworn to before me this 29th day of Sept., 2005

Notary Public

My commission expires: 8-12-11

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